

**ENTERED**

June 20, 2018

David J. Bradley, Clerk

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

SOPC HOLDINGS WEST LLC,	)	
the Tax Matters Partner of	)	
EQUILON ENTERPRISES LLC,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	CIVIL ACTION No. 4:18-cv-00374
	)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	Consolidated with: 4:18-cv-00376
	)	4:18-cv-00377
Defendant.	)	4:18-cv-00378

**SCHEDULING/DOCKET CONTROL ORDER**Anticipated Length of Trial: 3 DaysJury:      Non-Jury: X

1. NEW PARTIES shall be joined by:  
The Attorney causing the addition of new parties will  
provide copies of this Order to new parties. July 1, 2018
2. EXPERT WITNESSES for the PLAINTIFF will be  
identified by a report listing the qualifications of each  
expert, each opinion that the expert will present, and the  
basis for it. DUE DATE: December 21, 2018
3. EXPERT WITNESSES for the DEFENDANT will be  
identified by a report listing the qualifications of each  
expert, each opinion that the expert will present, and the  
basis for it. DUE DATE: January 21, 2019
4. DISCOVERY must be completed by:  
Written discovery requests are not timely if they are filed  
so close to this deadline that the recipient would not be  
required under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to  
respond until after the deadline. February 22, 2019
5. DISPOSITIVE AND NON-DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS  
(except motions in limine) will be filed by: March 29, 2019  
(Due 90 Days Prior to Trial Date)

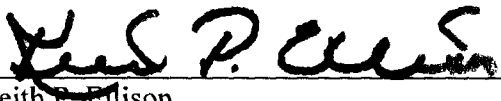
6. JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER and MOTIONS IN LIMINE  
(The Court will fill in this date)

July 8, 2019  
(Due Monday one week before trial)

7. TRIAL will begin at ~~8:30~~<sup>9:00</sup> a.m.

July 15, 2019  
(15 Months from date case is filed)

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Date

  
Keith P. Ellison  
United States District Judge

June 15, 2018  
Date

/s/ Thomas V. Linguanti  
Counsel for Plaintiff(s)

June 15, 2018  
Date

/s/ Curtis C. Smith  
Counsel for Defendant(s)